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September 18-21, 2005

2005 National Forum on Contaminants in Fish

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Welcome

The 2005 Forum is sponsored by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE).

- **Who Should Attend:** Health and Environmental officials from state, tribal, and federal agencies and others interested in presenting and discussing issues related to assessing and managing potential health risks associated with dietary exposure to bioaccumulative chemical contaminants in fish.
- **On the Agenda:** Discussions will focus on State, Tribal, and Federal activities related to sampling and analysis, assessing and managing health risks and benefits of consuming fish, updates on chemicals of concern, and risk communication.
- **Call for Posters:** EPA welcomes posters on the topics mentioned above. A brief description of your poster is due by August 22, 2005.

Agenda

The Forum will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday, September 18, and will adjourn by 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 21. Please check the Forum website (<http://www.epa.gov/waterscience/fish/>) for information regarding the agenda.

Hotel Information

The Marriott Baltimore Inner Harbor at Camden Yards is the site for the 2005 Forum.

Conference Registration

Please use the online Registration Page at <http://conferences.masimax.com/EPAfishforum> to register for the 2005 Forum.

There is a \$35 registration fee. A registration confirmation will be sent to you via e-mail. For forum and hotel registration questions please call (240) 683-1747 or visit the on-line registration page.

Program Information

For program information, please visit the Forum website at <http://www.epa.gov/waterscience/fish/> or contact Jeff Bigler, USEPA at (202) 566-0389 or bigler.jeff@epa.gov.